

HR 6421

Consumer Protection Act of 2010

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Law

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts and Competition Policy.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts and Competition Policy. (Dec 20, 2010)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 20, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 17, 2010)

Consumer Protection Act of 2010 - Provides that it shall not be a defense to a tort claim in any U.S. court that a manufacturer of a product has fulfilled that manufacturer's duty of care when providing all of the necessary information to a learned intermediary, who then interacts with the consumer of the product.

Defines a "learned intermediary" as a person licensed under applicable state or federal law to advise a consumer whether or not to use the product in question.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 20, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Courts and Competition Policy.
- **Nov 17, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 17, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.